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## THE DAILY TIMES.

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### WEATHER REPORT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 26.—For Virginia, rains; variable winds, generally northeasterly; cooler.

### TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

E. J. Wilcox, aged sixty, killed himself at Burlington, Mich.

Frederick the Great has had another statue erected at Berlin.

A Catholic seminary near Paris was burned. Loss, \$400,000.

An oil-house in Oscoda, Mich., was burned. Loss, \$40,000.

In New York John McKegney was killed by George McGrath.

A full Cabinet meeting, the first for months, was held yesterday.

Another strike among the switchmen is reported from Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. J. M. Thomas, of Baltimore, was burned by the explosion of a gas-stove.

The champion Browns were given an ovation on 'Change yesterday at St. Louis.

A negro, named James Haynes, was lynched by his own race at Brownsville, Miss.

Andrew Hamilton is reported as alive and kicking at Evansville, Wis., with a broken neck.

A fourth candidate is announced for Mayor of New York. This time by the Native Americans.

John Frances, an important witness in a perjury case, escaped from officers at Columbus, Ohio.

Michael Davitt, the Irish agitator, is to marry an heiress named Yore. Oh, the happy day of Yore!

The Adams Express car on the St. Louis and San Francisco road was robbed of over \$50,000 in cash.

It is highly probable that a few days will see a repetition of the strike at the Chicago packing-house just closed.

The condemned Chicago Anarchists have abandoned their project of moving for a new trial in the lower court.

An attempt was made near Marysville, Tenn., to wreck the train of the Taylor brothers, candidates for Governor.

Superintendent of Public Printing at Washington has directed that all papers, &c., for employees must be left at their homes.

Colonel Bob Ingersoll, in an interview last night in New York, declared himself strongly in favor of Henry George's election as mayor.

Thomas Barry, of the Executive Board of the Knights of Labor, is an Independent candidate for the Legislature at East Saginaw, Mich.

Mrs. McCallagher, just released from the Pennsylvania State Insane Asylum, is to be tried for the murder of her infant thirteen years ago.

A great fire has occurred in the Hornby dock warehouse, in Liverpool. It was stocked with cotton and grain. The damage is estimated at £100,000.

The United States Government has informed Spain that it will not withdraw the proclamation re-establishing the ten per cent. duty on Spanish imports from October 25th.

The Hicklin Landers forgeries at Indianapolis will amount fully to \$80,000, and perhaps \$120,000. The Landers firm is said to be worth \$800,000, and can stand the loss.

The schooner *Gulnare* is detained in New Orleans per order of the British consul. The latter claims that she is about to engage in an enterprise antagonistic to the British interests.

The mining strike at Shamokin, Pa., was postponed until Sunday, the result of arbitration.

The Thirty-second New York District Democratic Congressional Convention to-day nominated General William F. Rogers, of Buffalo.

M. Baithaut, French Minister of Public Works, has intimated his intention of resigning his office.

A vein of petroleum of excellent quality has been discovered in the collieries at Harlepool, England.

Edward Calvin, aged 72, was literally torn to pieces yesterday morning at the Central flouring mills, at Bay City, Mich.

An important convocation of Catholic prelates will be held at Baltimore tomorrow. The Knights of Labor question will be considered.

Andrew Haller, charged with the murder of Michael Pikoriski, cut his throat with a case knife in his cell yesterday morning at Syracuse, N. Y. He will probably recover.

A very destructive fire took place early yesterday morning in the village of Fingal, Ont., burning the principal business block. Loss, \$30,000; insurance and cause of fire unknown.

In the stock-yard tragedy at Chicago the coroner's jury found that Lerrera Bagby came to her death by a shot from a Pinkerton special officer unknown, aided and abetted by others.

The selection of a candidate for Congress has been referred to a committee by the Democratic Congressional Convention of the Eighteenth District of New York, which adjourned to-day.

Mr. James Horner Haslett, ex-member of the House of Commons and a magistrate and alderman of Belfast, has accepted an invitation to the mayoralty of the city for the ensuing year.

The coal miners employed in the collieries owned by Lord Lonsdale, at White Haven, have struck work, owing to a dispute with the manager of the mine.

W. M. Everts' speech on Liberty at the reception in New York last night was very good, considering that he is the man who influenced the Hayes steal of the Presidency in 1876.

### WASHINGTON NOTES.

A navy officer denies the yarn of the ex-corporal of marines about the smuggling on the *Saratoga* and *Tallapoosa*.

A special says that the *Pull Mail Gazette* pronounces Mr. Phelps right in the affair of refusing to present Editor Rice to the Prince of Wales.

There is music in the official atmosphere on account of the letter of Revenue Collector Schofield, assessing the clerks in the office. He says he did not write it.

At the Cabinet meeting yesterday Secretaries Bayard, Manning, Endicott, Whitney, Lamar, Vilas, and Garland were all in attendance.

Assistant Secretary Thompson has come to the conclusion that the Assistant Secretaries of the Treasury are required to sign their names too often and that correspondents should be so grouped that in routine matters one signature will answer where several are now required.

The President will take an evening train for New York to-day, accompanied by Secretaries Bayard, Endicott, Whitney, and Lamar. On Thursday morning the party will review the procession from the grand stand on Madison avenue, and will be driven to the river in time to be taken on a Government vessel to witness the ceremonies on Bedloe's Island.

A motion was made yesterday in the mandamus case pending in the General Term against the Secretary of State for an order directing the clerk of the court to issue a subpoena *duces tecum*, requiring the Secretary of State to produce on the hearing certain records and documents filed with the department by the clerk of the last court of commissioners of Alabama claims. Hearing of motion is set for Friday next.

"Daniel," said the President.

"Yes, sire," responded Daniel, gently.

"We are to go to New York Wednesday, I believe?"

"Yes, sire."

"The object is to inaugurate the Bartholdi statue, is it not, Daniel?"

"Yes, sire."

"Am I not to be the most prominent person in the affair, Daniel?"

"Yes, sire."

"What is the statue, Daniel?"

"Bronze, sire."

"I mean, Daniel, what is the genius of the statue?"

"Liberty, sire."

"Liberty, Daniel?"

"Yes, sire."

"Ha! and I am married?"

"Rather, sire."

## BY TELEGRAPH.

THE LATEST NEWS FROM THE OLD WORLD AND THE NEW.

Brief Record of a Day's Doings By Wire to the Times.

### Reception and Concert to the French Delegates.

NEW YORK, October 26.—The imposing ceremonies of Bartholdi was inaugurated to-night at the Academy of Music in the reception and concert tendered the French delegates by the Circle Francais De L'Harmonie. Owing to the stormy night the Academy was not so full as expected, though the French colony turned out in full force to welcome their celebrated countrymen, and the house was sprinkled with Americans no less eager to do honor to our French guests.

The curtain arose about 8:30 and disclosed sitting on the stage the entire corps of delegates, M. Bartholdi, and M. De Lesseps in the front row, about twenty-five of the American committee, and the committee of French Societies that tendered the reception. Above their heads was suspended a luminous design with the name of Circle Francais De L'Harmonie flashed out by the flickering gas-jets.

As soon as the overture by the orchestra was finished M. Lafon, the president of the reception committee, stepped forward, and, in a few, well-chosen words of French, introduced M. Coudert, who addressed the assemblage in French. M. Coudert spoke at some length, and reviewed the history of the two nations that he saw represented before him. M. Coudert was followed by Senator William M. Everts.

### THE REPLY OF THE FRENCH DELEGATES.

M. Spuller, a member of the French Senate, was then introduced, and spoke at some length in French. The following are extracts from his remarks:

"Ladies and Gentlemen: I have the honor to speak in the name of the French delegates to whom you have given so cordial a reception. I wish to speak of sentiments so dear that I fear I may commit some errors.

"You aided us to form liberty by your example.

"You had confidence in yourselves.

"You took for a principle liberty.

"You applied it in every branch of your government.

"You have become the workmen of civilization as it is going to be.

"You are a progressive people, and we shall ever be grateful to you for the fact that you had confidence in liberty.

"What more natural than that we should come to the inauguration of this statue, which will so weld the attachments between France and America."

M. Spuller finished his speech amid tumultuous applause, and as he returned to his seat Count De Lesseps hurried towards him and embraced and kissed the speaker on both cheeks.

### Ivy City Races.

#### GLENER WINS THE FIRST RACE.

IVY CITY, October 26.—First day fall meeting of National Jockey club. Weather cloudy. Track in good condition. First race—six furlongs. Glenner won; Mamie Hunt, second; Tom Berlin, third. Time, 1:15.

Mutuals paid \$5.80. Mamie Hunt beat Strathspey for the place by a fine rush at the finish.

Second race—the autumnal handicap, for all ages, one mile and a-half. Volante won; Irish Pat, second; Greenfield, third. Time, 2:36.

In the second race, with Bard scratched, Volante was favorite in betting. The odds offered were Volante 6 to 5; Bonanza, Favor, and Heel-and-Toe each, 7 to 1; Valet and Richmond each, 8 to 1; Irish Pat, 12 to 1; and Greenfield, 20 to 1. Lizzie Dwyer was scratched.

At 2 o'clock quite a heavy rain shower set in.

Strathspey and Rosette have been scratched in the fifth race, and Joe Shelby in the steeple chase.

In the third race the odds are as follows: Millie, 7 to 5; Barnum, 2 to 1; Jim Douglass, 6 to 1; Hermitage, 7 to 1; Jessie, 30 to 1; Bonnie Prince, 5 to 1; Bessie, 50 to 1, and Relax, 20 to 1.

Third race—Millie won, Bonnie Prince second. Time, 1:43.

### Alive Under Disagreeable Circumstances.

BARABOA, WIS., October 26.—Andrew Hamilton, the stock man who fell off the cars at this place Friday and broke his neck, was removed to his home in Evansville, Wis., Sunday. He stood the journey all right. This case is attracting the attention of the medical fraternity throughout the State. The shock from the fall paralyzed Hamilton's whole body from the neck down, but he has the power of speech and converses with all visitors. His is supposed to be the first case on record of a person living so long with a broken neck.

### Carrying Out "My Policy."

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 26.—The President to-day directed the suspension of M. E. Benton as United States Attorney for the Western district of Missouri, and William A. Stone, United States Attorney for the Western district of Pennsylvania, on charges of violating his order against the interference of Federal office-holders in political campaigns.

The papers submitted to the President in the case of Benton alleged that he is and has been engaged in addressing political meetings throughout Missouri, with appointments advertised for nearly every night up to the time of the approaching elections. The President, after looking over the papers, endorsed them: "Let this officer be suspended at once," and returned them to the Attorney-General for this action to be carried out. The circumstances in the Stone case are similar. Benton is a Democrat and Stone a Republican.

### Patent Office Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 26.—The Commissioner of Patents, in his annual report to the Secretary of the Interior, says that the present condition of the office is much better than at the time Secretary Lamar assumed charge of the department. At that time the average period that applicants were forced to wait for decisions was five and a half months, and in some instances as long as thirteen months. Now the average time is three and one-third months, and but two are but six months behind. Within a short time the Commissioner thinks the work will be brought up to date.

In conclusion he recommends that the price of the official *Gazette* be increased to \$7.50 per year, and that some provision of law be made that will secure copies of decrees of the Federal courts on patent cases.

The receipts for the calendar year 1885 were \$163,710, which makes a sum in the Treasury to the credit of the Patent-Office of almost \$3,000,000.

### A Washington Fire.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 26.—The result of the fire on Capitol Hill last night proves to have been more serious than was at first supposed. Upward of thirty persons were injured more or less by the explosion of gasoline. Several persons had their eyes seriously cut, and one young man, named Charles Willard, the son of a prominent New Yorker, lost his right eye entirely and suffered other serious wounds. No deaths have yet been reported. The loss on property may not exceed \$30,000, and it is partially covered by insurance.

### Full Cabinet Meeting.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 26.—There was a full attendance of the Cabinet at the regular meeting to-day for the first time since early in the summer. The session was very short, the main topics under consideration being the annual estimates and the approaching visit to New York.

### The Striking Switchmen.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., October 26.—There are indications of another strike by the switchmen of the Indianapolis roads. Several days ago two switchmen from Chicago came here, and since then committees of switchmen of three roads have made demands of the management for an advance of wages on the Chicago scale. The visitors are making the rounds of all the yards, and it is believed the men will all join. Several superintendents who were seen yesterday said they could not afford to pay the Chicago rates, and expected a strike to ensue upon their position being made known.

### The Tennessee Taylors.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., October 26.—A special train bearing both Taylors, the candidates for Governor, and two hundred excursionists came near being wrecked yesterday at Maryville. A rail had been placed on the track, but it was discovered by the engineer just in time to avert disaster.

### A Kicking Knight.

EAST SAGINAW, MICH., Oct. 26.—Two years ago Thomas Barry, of the Executive Board of the Knights of Labor, was elected to the State Legislature by the combined votes of the Democrats and workingmen. A renomination was refused him, and now he is out as an Independent Labor candidate for the position.

### After Many Years.

HARRISBURG, PA., October 26.—Mrs. McCallagher, of York, who has spent twelve years in the State Insane Asylum, has been released as sane. She will now be tried for the murder of her infant thirteen years ago. She confessed the murder at the time, but being pronounced insane she has never been tried.

### Still They Come.

NEW YORK, October 26.—Charles H. Waterman has been nominated for Mayor by the "American" party, which holds principles akin to those of the old Know-Nothing party.

## FOREIGN NEWS.

TELEGRAMS TO THE TIMES FROM THE EASTERN HEMISPHERE.

Conservative Conference—The Bulgarian Imbroglio—The Policy of the Tories.

### SPAIN.

MADRID, October 26.—The United States Government has informed the Government of Spain that it will not withdraw its proclamation re-establishing the ten per cent. duty on Spanish imports from October 25.

### GERMANY.

LONDON, October 26.—The *Standard* says Prince Waldeman, of Denmark, will be proposed and probably elected to the vacant throne of Bulgaria.

BERLIN, October 26.—Prince Hohenlohe, of Waldenburg, died yesterday from a stroke of apoplexy.

### AMICABLY SETTLED.

BERLIN, October 26.—The *North-German Gazette*, in an editorial published in to-day's issue, says: "Germany has no cause to complain of England's colonial policy. The few questions under discussion between the two countries will shortly be settled desirably and justly to the interests of both."

### TORY POLICY.

LONDON, October 26.—A conference was held at Bradford to-day, at which 800 prominent members of the Tory party were present. A resolution was adopted declaring that the advancement of the policy of imperial federation was one of the articles of the faith of the Conservative party.

### ENGLAND VS. RUSSIA.

LONDON, October 26.—At the conference of the leading Conservatives at Bradford to-day, resolutions were adopted expressing the confidence of those assembled in the belief that the Government would follow in the footsteps of the late Conservative, Lord Beaconsfield, and adopt his policy of vigilantly guarding British interests against Russian aggression in the East, especially that of protecting Constantinople against the intrigues of that power.

### GLADSTONE DECLINES.

LONDON, October 26.—Mr. Gladstone, in response to a request to contribute to current political literature a book defining the programme of the Liberal party, writes:

"My friends forget my years. I hold on to politics in the hope of helping to settle the Irish question, but the general operations of the party and particular subjects I am obliged and intend to leave in the hands of others."

### THE BISHOP OF CORK.

CORK, October 26.—Rev. Robert S. Gregg, Protestant bishop of Cork, in the course of an address to the clergy of the diocese to-day, said:

"Every interest languishes, every branch of business is depressed and carelessness, neglect, and despair seem to be settling upon the people."

Concluding his address, Bishop Gregg exhorted the clergy not to allow prejudice to prevent their acceptance of any just change which could be likely to benefit Ireland.

The Nationalists are elated over the Bishop's speech, and claim that he has been converted to the Home Rule. The Bishop's remarks created a sensation among his hearers, and are being generally discussed by the Protestant laity.

### Can't Get Her Paper.

NEW ORLEANS, October 26.—The steamer *Gulnare*, which was about to sail with corn to Progress, Mexico, has been detained owing to the refusal of the British consul to give the vessel her papers. The consul claims that the steamer was about to embark on an enterprise antagonistic to British interests. He is awaiting instructions from Minister West. The *Gulnare* is a British ship and flies the British flag.

### Strike Postponed.

SHAMOKIN, PA., October 26.—The committee of seven, who are authorized to call out the three thousand miners of the Union Coal and Mineral Company next Saturday, met here to-day. A letter was received from President Strong, of Erie, saying that he had ordered a comparison of last year to be made with the wages now prevailing and that he would instruct his superintendent to arbitrate the difficulty. The committee expressed their satisfaction and the strike will be postponed pending the result of the arbitration.

### Burned to Death.

BALTIMORE, MD., October 26.—Mrs. James M. Thomas, living at No. 11 Courtland street, while cooking at a gas-stove early this morning, set fire to her dress, and, before assistance could reach her, she was fatally burned about the face and limbs. She died at 9 o'clock.

### The Mail Cut Off.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 26.—The following order, issued by Public-Printer Benedict, has caused some stir at the Government printing-office, where, it is said, over a thousand newspapers are distributed daily:

"Employees of the Government printing-office are requested to have all newspapers, magazines, and trade circulars sent to their residence address. From November 1, 1886, no mail except letters will be delivered throughout the office. After that date all newspapers, magazines, and circulars addressed to employees will be retained at the office of the superintendent of the building, to be delivered on call at lunch hour or after 5 P. M. daily."

### The Episcopal Convention.

CHICAGO, ILL., October 26.—The Episcopal Convention was very slimly attended to-day, many of the delegates having left the city. Various reports from committees were presented and placed on the calendar. The House of Deputies refused to concur with the House of Bishops in the resolution of adjournment on Wednesday, and a committee of conference was appointed to fix the time of adjournment. The order of the day—the alterations and additions to the Book of Common Prayer—occupied attention during the principal part of the session.

### A Hoary-Headed Wretch.

CHICAGO, ILL., October 26.—Two innocent country girls stood in Justice Meeches' court this morning, while a swarthy, gray-headed old woman named Mary Scott, *alias* Moore, was held to the Criminal Court in \$600 bonds for their abduction. Their names are Stella Murphy, aged 17, and Frankie Freeman, aged 16. They had come from Indianapolis at the solicitation of the prisoner, who promised them they should learn dressmaking, wear fine clothes, and have plenty of money always at their disposal. The girls were seen to the train by the police and safely dispatched home.

### Killed on the Track.

MALDEN, MASS., October 26.—This morning Mrs. Charles R. Elder, the young wife of a prominent lawyer of this city, while crossing the Boston and Main railroad track near Edgeworth, was struck by the engine, thrown under the wheels, and shockingly mangled, her head being completely severed from the body. The husband on being notified of the event was rendered almost insane. The deceased leaves two children.

### The Andover Doctrine.

PORTLAND, ME., October 26.—Rev. Dr. Hill, formerly President of Harvard college, preached a sermon here Sunday in favor of the doctrine of probation after death, or, as he said, would be a better term, education after death. The address caused quite a sensation among religious people here, who are much interested in the discussion of the Andover doctrine.

### First Blood.

NEW YORK, October 26.—John McKegney, an old and respected citizen, was knocked down by a bar-room last night by John McGrath for declaring his intention to vote for George. McGrath struck McKegney on the side of the head. McKegney fell heavily to the floor. He was taken to the hospital, where he died.

### An Important Witness Gone.

COLUMBUS, O., October 26.—John Frances, the convict, who was to give the principal evidence in the tally sheet forgeries, escaped this morning in a buggy hitched in front of the court-house. The disappearance of Frances has created great excitement. Officers are scouring the city in search of him.

### A Strange Suicide.

BURLINGTON, MICH., October 26.—A strange suicide occurred on the farm of William Kidney, near here, Sunday night. E. J. Wilcox, aged sixty, waited until other members of the family had retired and then stepped outside the door and exploded a dynamite cartridge under his arm. The report was terrific and the fragments of Wilcox's body were scattered in all directions.

### Project Abandoned.

CHICAGO, ILL., October 26.—The counsel for the condemned Anarchists have, for the present, at least, abandoned their project to move for a new trial before Judge Gary. They say they will reserve their point for the Supreme Court. This point consists briefly of newly-discovered rulings, to the effect that an abettor in the crime under such circumstances as appear in the case of the bomb-throwers is not a principal.

### Hanged to a Tree.

MEMPHIS, TENN., October 26.—On Saturday night a party of negroes at Brownsville, Miss., took a negro named James Haynes from jail and hanged him to a tree. Haynes had outraged and murdered a negress. This is one of the very few cases on record of lynching by colored people.